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## NOMINATIONS OPENED FOR SPRING ELECTIONS

Petition for Each Candidate Must Have Fifty Signatures

### EIGHT OFFICES ARE OPEN

Traditional Ballyhoo Campaign Will Be Held on April 12

Nominations for students to fill eight offices for 1934-35 will open next Tuesday morning at eight o'clock. They will be open for one week.

Students desiring to run their candidate in the election must hand a petition to the Student Council signed by fifty students not later than eight o'clock on the following Tuesday.

On Thursday, April 12, a ballyhoo campaign will be held in the college chapel. In this meeting each candidate will be represented by a campaign manager. All campaign speeches will be limited to a definite length of time, depending upon the number of candidates.

If a primary is necessary it will be held in the following week with the finals following soon afterwards.

Offices open in this election will be: President of the Student Council, Treasurer of the Student Council, Editor of the Quadrangle, Business Manager of the Quadrangle, Editor of the Spectator, Business Manager of the Spectator, a woman's cheer leader, and a men's cheer leader.

Class elections and elections for the Christian Endeavor organization will be held in the near future.

The Student Council will not furnish any money for the candidates' campaign literature.

## MEASLY STUDENTS FIND MALADY AID FOR EXAMS

It seems as if Johnnie Schul did somebody a good turn when he started this measles epidemic. Right here at the 9th week, you know, when everybody is worrying about quizzes and exams, those who are fortunate enough to be among the elect can lie in bed all morning and afternoon and thoroughly enjoy themselves (?). Well at any rate, there's a chance to catch up on back sleep.

Of course, no one seems to want to get the measles very bad to get these benefits. Indeed, it's rather embarrassing to a young lady to be before has just taken down, or vice versa. Such was the case of Pee Wee Anderson, who had a date with Johnnie the night before he got his. She is still worrying because the ten days are not up yet.

One feature of the measles seems to be that the weaker sex is more susceptible than are the men. At any rate, there are about nine girls down, while only four boys have been afflicted so far. According to the victims, it isn't such a bad life. Three of the so-called sick women all stay in one room and have a jolly good time together. And, according to rumor, Brown sneaked over to the girls' dorm Sunday night to hobnob with Keedy thru her window, when both of them were supposed to be in bed.

So folks, if you want to enjoy an enforced vacation, with room and board furnished free just trot around like a good Samaritan visiting the sick, and I've a hunch that you won't have to wait long.

## WORLD SERVICE MEETS

The World Service group Tuesday evening held a short meeting consisting of talks by members of the group. Van Hunt commented on his favorite Psalm. Irene Mason told of her favorite song, Viola Rothrock spoke of her favorite poem, and Paul Heckman presented his favorite Bible character.

This organization will have two deputations teams in the field over Easter vacation.

## APPRECIATION OF EASTER—THEME OF Y. M. PROGRAM

In accordance with the Easter season, the Y. M. C. A. devoted its program at the last meeting to the discussion of the significance of Easter from several viewpoints.

The significance of Easter was discussed by Carol Koons, to the Jew; Ralph Sherty, to the Church; and John Goering, to the common man. Arthur Goughnour discussed the students' attitude toward Easter while Leonard Lowe told what the season meant to him personally. The meeting was opened and closed with music played by Glen Turner.

## SPRING MUSIC CONTEST ANNOUNCED FOR APR. 25

Entrants Get Reduction in Tuition; No M. C. Students May Enter

McPherson College will sponsor on Saturday, April 25, contests in piano, voice and violin. The prizes in each will be as follows: first prize, a \$25 music tuition scholarship and second prize, a \$12 music tuition scholarship. A juvenile contest will also be held in piano and violin, with prizes as follows: first prize, a \$18 music tuition scholarship and second prize, a \$9 music tuition scholarship. A ten per cent reduction in music tuition will be given to each person entering this contest, who enrolls in the McPherson College Music Department during the year following this contest and who does not win a scholarship.

Rules for the contest are as follows: No student enrolled in the Music Department of McPherson College at the present time is eligible. The composition used is optional with the contestant, but shall not exceed eight minutes in length. Students under fifteen years of age shall enter the juvenile contest. Students between the ages of fifteen and twenty shall enter the adult contest. The judges shall consist of the music faculty of McPherson College. Name of the composition used must be in the hands of Miss Jessie Brown not later than Wednesday evening, April 25.

## PUBLIC LIBRARY GIVES MAGAZINES TO COLLEGE

Nearly 100 bound volumes are included in the list of magazines given to the College by the McPherson Public Library last week.

Review of Reviews and the Atlantic head the list with 14 volumes each. Harpers is next with twelve. Current Literature and World's Work are third, each having 10 volumes. Other bound magazines in the group are Scribners, Current Opinion, Popular Mechanics, Living Age, National Geographic Magazine, Craftsman, Hearst's International, Cosmopolitan, and the Independent magazine.

Many magazines that are not bound were also given to the library at the same time. There are a number of copies each of the Annals, Bookman, Century, Dial, Educational Review, Fortnightly Review, Forum, Independent, Nation, Outlook, Review of Reviews, Scientific Monthly, Scientific American, and Survey.

These magazines are all indexed in the Reader's Guide, and contain a great deal of reference material. They are however, ten years old or older. The magazines were given to the College because of the lack of room in the Public Library, and because in the College library they would still be available to the citizens of McPherson.

## Lehman Urges Attendance At Ibsen Plays, April 13-14

Miss Della Lehman, recommends that students see the forthcoming Ibsen plays which are to be given in Wichita, April 13 and 14. Eva Le Gallienne, one of America's foremost players, will star in "Hedda Gabler" and "The Master Builder."

The class in Modern Drama reads plays by Henrik Ibsen. These are finished productions and are believed to be valuable for students. Seats are priced at 55 cents and up.

## NO SPECTATOR NEXT WEEK

Because of the Easter vacation, March 29 to April 3, the SPECTATOR will not be issued next week.

## FIFTY ALUMNI MEET AT LONG BEACH, CAL.

M. C. Graduates Give Toast to College; George Boone Chosen President

About fifty attended the annual dinner of McPherson College Alumni in Southern California which was held this year on Friday, March 23, at the Long Beach Church of the Brethren. The dining room was beautifully decorated with spring flowers, and the tables carried out the Easter color scheme. Reverend Heisey, pastor of the Long Beach church gave a brief speech of welcome. Mr. Levi Stump, president of the local alumni organization then introduced Mr. Floyd Mishler as toastmaster. A toast was proposed to "McPherson College—our Alma Mater" and all joined in singing "O Sacred Truth." After the dinner, Mrs. John Deeter read "The Coming of the Light." Mr. Mishler then introduced Mrs. Jacob Booz, who gave the address of the evening. She based her speech on the experience of "Twenty Years in a Parsonage." Mrs. Booz brought to the group the thought that the years after college, when "life centered," have greater possibilities for the enrichment of life than the short years of college.

In the business session which followed the program, the secretary, Miss Ruth Mohler, read letters of good wishes from President Schwalm, Dr. Harny and Miss Edith McGaffey, those attending the McPherson College banquet for the first time were then introduced. An election of officers for the following year resulted in the choice of Mr. George Boone, president; Gladys Muir, secretary; and Mr. Sanger Cromptaker, treasurer. Plans are being made to hold next year's meeting in Pasadena, Cal.

## FORMER STAFF ENTERTAINS NEW Y. W. C. A. CABINET

The members of this year's Y. W. C. A. cabinet entertained next year's cabinet at a supper in the Y. W. room on Thursday evening, March 22. The girls met at 6:00, and after the supper the formal installation service was held. Miss Lehman then read several poems. Those present were the cabinet officers and Miss Lehman and Miss McGaffey.

### A Correction

Last week the SPECTATOR carried an announcement to the effect that Dean R. E. Mohler had been elected treasurer of the Kansas State Teacher's Association. Instead he is treasurer of the Kansas State School Board Association. We are glad to make this correction.

## THESPIAN PRODUCTION PROGRESSING RAPIDLY

Judging from all reports, "The Enchanted April," the Thespian Club play to be presented Friday, April 13, is taking on the marks of a finished production. Coach Ada Brunk may be seen at seven o'clock almost any evening ushering the cast from the chapel to Miss Lehman's room, or vice versa. If you have heard someone mention Lady Carloline or Lotty, or perhaps even Mellersh or Mrs. Fisher, you are not to be alarmed. They are not new students, but rather members of the Thespian cast.

Now that it is out that "Tuffy" Wine will appear on the evening of the Thirteenth with a monologue and that a couple of the players are concentrating upon their Spanish speeches, we feel that perhaps this play is going to amount to something! The new cyclerama will make its initial appearance with the presentation of "The Enchanted April!"

## I. R. C. DISCUSSES TOPIC OF CONFERENCE IN MEETING

The International Relations Club met Tuesday afternoon to review the discussion units to be used at the International Clubs conference at Grinnell, Iowa, April 6 and 7. Willard Fleming talked on World Economic Recovery, Margaret Hahn discussed Nazi Germany, Fred Hals reviewed the relations between the United States and Latin America, and Everett Pannacht told of the crisis in International Organization. Means of transportation to the Grinnell conference were discussed. Several students plan to attend. The conference promises to be well worth while, for the speakers include such noted persons as Sherwood Edy and Edward A. Steiner.

## SEVEN ORATORS ENTER PEACE CONTEST HERE

Spectator Will Print the Winning Oration in Its Next Issue

Seven students will enter the local Peace Oratorical contest which will be held in the College church Sunday, April 8. Those students entering the contest are Paul Booz, Erwin Bents, Francis Christian, Guy Hayes, Glen McConkie, Elmer Staats, and Kenneth Weaver. The next issue of the SPECTATOR, which will be issued April 12, will print the winning oration.

The contest will probably begin at 7:30. Each oration is limited to fifteen minutes and will be judged by five persons. The winner is determined by a ranking of the judges.

This winner will represent McPherson College in the state contest which will be held at Winfield, April 10. Probably eight Kansas schools will enter this contest where prizes are \$50, \$30 and \$20 for first, second and third places respectively. Local prizes are \$2.50, \$1.50 and \$2.50.

Ward Williams won the local contest last year.

## JOYCE VETTER THIRD IN MID-WEST MUSIC MEET

Miss Joyce Vetter, Fine Arts student, this week placed third in piano in the Mid-West Music Festival at Bethany College, Lindsborg. This contest is held in conjunction with the annual Messiah Festival.

Miss Vetter is a student of Miss Jessie Brown, dean of music at McPherson College. She received a \$25 tuition scholarship to Bethany. The Mid-West contest brings together some of the outstanding musical talent in the middle west.

## REV. RICHARDS HOLDS PRE-EASTER SERVICES HERE

Rev. H. P. Richards, pastor of the Church of the Brethren is conducting a series of pre-Easter meetings this week leading up to the Easter services of next Sunday. The meetings are devotional in nature, the aim being to bring a realization of the value of religion.

The attendance thus far has been very good. The meetings will be held every night the rest of the week, with the possible exception of Saturday night. Special music is furnished at each service.

### Appear At Arts Club

At a meeting of the Priscilla Arts Club at the home of Mrs. Clare Miller last evening, dramatic students appeared on the program. Maxine DeMott gave "At the Sign of the Cleft Heart," and Bernice Dappon read "Finger of God."

### Y. W. Has Easter Theme

Easter was the theme of the Y. W. C. A. program on Tuesday morning. Lois Edwards had charge of the devotionals, and Neva Root program chairman, announced the following program: Vocal solo, "Open Wide the Gates of the Temple," Margretta Okerlund. Miss Lehman read a short Easter play by Stark Young, entitled "The Twilight Saint."

## GOOD WILL BANQUET HELD FRIDAY EVENING

About Six Hundred Attend the Affair in Community Building

### LINDLEY AND KELLEY SPEAK

Amount Set for Goal is Over-Subscribed; Dr. Schwalm Gives Appreciation

As a fitting climax to the recent successful financial campaign for McPherson College, sponsored jointly by the College and the McPherson Chamber of Commerce, the Good Will Banquet was held in Convention Hall last Friday evening. The banquet was served to about 600 friends and supporters of the College.

Splendid support for the College was gained through the recent campaign by the untiring efforts of the school and business men. \$10,650 had been contributed at the time of the banquet. The goal had been set for \$10,000.

Following the invocation by Rev. Leon Sweetland, Simon Strouse, head of the Chamber of Commerce, stressed the value of the College to the city as shown by the response to the campaign, in thanking those who had contributed.

Dr. V. F. Schwalm, McPherson College President, enumerated the amounts of the larger gifts, and expressed a promise that McPherson College should remain an institution dedicated to the installation in youth of the highest in Christian ideals and principles. He also gave recognition to the prominent people present.

Greetings from the Kansas Council of Church Colleges were brought to the assembled group by Dr. J. H. Kelley, of the College of Emporia, who stressed the place of the small college in the general field of higher education. Dr. Kelley was the first main speaker of the evening.

Closing the banquet in the second principal address, Chancellor E. H. Lindley of Kansas University emphasized the marvelous advancement made in the field of higher education during the last thirty years, and finished by commending McPherson, city and College, on its splendid leaders.

## BETHANY COLLEGE HOST TO M. C. LANGUAGE GROUP

German and advanced French students of McPherson College went to Lindsborg last Wednesday afternoon where they were entertained by the Modern Language department of Bethany College.

Prof. Emory Lindquist met the group and took them to the art department. After showing them the work displayed there, Birger Sandzen took the M. C. students to his private studio. Among his pictures was a portrait of Mattie Shay, former M. C. student.

While Mr. Sandzen was showing his work to the Wesleyan language students, who were also guests for the afternoon, the McPherson group went back to the main building.

Not long afterward, Dr. Hoff appeared and began to prepare the stage in the chapel for the program. "Little Red Riding Hood" was presented in both French and German. The plays, however, were not identical. For one thing, the wolf in the German version was more jovial than the French wolf. (Perhaps he was not as hungry as she was.) Besides the plays, there were also Gorman and French vocal selections. Dr. Hoff and Miss Lehman furnished a little entertainment aside from the regular program. (Either should be able to give further information.)

After refreshments served in the cafeteria to all the guests, Miss Lehman and several others went to see the women's dormitory. While there, they were shown one of the suites by the matron, Mrs. Olson.

A new plan for the elimination of the abuses of Hell Week has been proposed by a student-faculty committee of Rutgers University. It will only last for two and one-half days henceforth.

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## An Appreciation

Appreciation and thanks to the friends of McPherson College have been frequent during the last few weeks. Little has been said of the students' appreciation to the friends of M. C. for their cooperation.

Students in college come to feel that they are a definite part of the institution and feel a vital interest for its welfare.

We are glad for your cooperation that our college may provide us with better opportunities and for the new encouragement that we hold for the future.

## The Hopes of An Easter Season

The Easter vacation which begins this afternoon marks the dividing point of the second semester. This means that there are just nine weeks of school left.

Easter also is supposed to be "Old Man Winter's" last chance to get in his dirty work. Before this time little can be expected in the stability and warmth of the weather.

One thing is troubling the minds of a number of students, however, as this Easter season approaches and that is a fear of the measles.

## A New Deal in Patriotism

Are we due for another German propaganda scare? While it is true that the insidious Nazis are known to be organizing the Silver Shirts in this country and publishing wild articles in subsidized publications about the necessity of decapitating all the Semites.

That this is literally true is illustrated by a story which comes to us from Louisiana, where every man is supposed to be a King. . . or a Kingfish.

Because he was said to have concluded that "Nazism, on the whole, has been productive of more good than evil, although it has suppressed freedom of speech, and destroyed individual liberty and democracy," he was criticised by one of the super-patriots.

"That Clark is a Nazi propagandist," said he.

As a matter of fact Professor Clark has declared that he disapproves thoroughly of the Nazi discrimination against the Jews, and his talk before the club was little more than a historical sketch, but if some of our 101 per cent Americans who wave the flag with one hand and spy the NRA with the other want to encourage Nazism, they should simply follow the lead of the protesting gentleman from Louisiana.

This country certainly needs patriotism more than ever before, but we also need a "New Deal" in patriotism—a patriotism of cooperation instead of money-grabbing selfishness that sacrifices nothing more

than a bit of flag-waving or a protest to the governor for the sake of the nation.

## In Defense of Science

To a few misguided people there has recently come the misconception that science has forged so far ahead of mankind that it is time to slow up on scientific research.

When one stops a moment and considers the great debt of mankind to science, one can readily see how shallow the thinking of this Bishop really was.

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Not only is the Britisher mistaken in his major premise, but he is forgetting the fact that to science is due virtually the entire progress of the world in the last century.

What is needed is progress in other fields rather than a decrease in scientific endeavor. While economics and government today allow war to continue just as it did thousands of years ago, and kill millions of men in one war, science, in the hands of such immortals as Pasteur and Koch, has made possible the saving of the lives of many more millions.

In fact, it is to science that we owe almost the whole debt for the enlightenment and progress of the 20th century.

PLAN TO HEAR SHERWOOD EDDY.

## Campus Chaff

My my! Will wonders never cease? Tuesday evening even our misanthropic editor ventured into Arnold Hall. But maybe it was just to see some erling or measly reporter.

The measles seem to be the 'big news of the week. Everyone has been imagining headaches and sore throats so that no one can tell just who does have them.

Tuesday morning Albert Dean drove to school on the highway. When he wanted to turn the corner, he saw two cars behind him, and thinking that they might be planning to go around him, he cautiously slowed down in order to let them by before turning across the road.

And that reminds us—did this chem student's marriage ever make the headlines of our school paper? He espoused one of our own alumni, Adelyn Taylor.

We usually consider it difficult to get to an 8:00 o'clock class but when we see players busy on the tennis court when we come to class, we decide we haven't the proper motivation—or sun's.

We hear that when the language classes went to Lindsay, Miss Lehman was told to sit down—emphatically. Dr. Hoff was probably asking her to be seated, but his, "Miss Lehman, please sit down" sounded more like a command.

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## ALUMNI NOTES

Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Stutzman, '29, of Blackwell, Okla., announce the birth of a daughter, Sue Marilyn, February 26.

Vernon Rhoades, '31, is coach of the Canton high school debate team which tied for first place in the Class B state tournament.

Miss Orpha Beam, a former student, and Mr. Ralph Heidebrecht of McPherson, were married on March 25, at the home of the bride in Holmesville, Neb.

Herbert Hochstetler, '32, coach at Luray high school, has three championship teams this year. They are in baseball, football and in girls' basketball.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Bishop, '28, who are living in Canton, are the parents of a son born March 11.

Leo Crumpacker, '28, who has finished his medical course at the Northwestern Medical School, will take his internship at Evanston, Ill.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hoerner, '16, of Fairfield, Iowa, are the parents of a daughter, Mary Louise, born on February 17.

Greeta Wilma Griffith, '33, who is now attending Chicago University is visiting her family and friends in McPherson.

Alumni of Southern California gathered at a dinner in Long Beach, Friday, March 23. L. A. Stump of Lomita, Cal., is president of this group and Ruth Nohler of Whittier, California, is secretary.

Atlantic City, N. J. (CNS)—The University of Pennsylvania this week notified the coroner that it had deigned to accept the body of Joseph Friedlander, 45-year-old suicide. Friedlander had willed his body to the university for "experimental purposes."

## PADDLE ROLL

Lois Fry	March 30
Dorothy Bonham	March 31
Chester Colwell	April 2
Franklin Hiebert	April 4

## PERSONALS

Dr. Roy C. Petry spoke Tuesday evening at a Sunday School convention held at Windom, Kansas. His topic was "Our Religious Heritage." Galen Ogden who is pastor at the Groveland union church conducted the services.

Professor R. E. Mohler spent the week end in Wiley, Colorado. Saturday evening he spoke to a group of men from the Lamar, Rocky Ford and Wiley churches.

The "Theory and Practice in Industrial Arts" class watched the pouring of aluminum in Holzemer's blacksmith shop, Wednesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Dell and daughters were in Beatrice, Nebraska, during the past week end visiting the parents of Mr. Dell.

The following students in the dormitories have been confined to their rooms during the past week because of measles: Gulah Hoover, Bernice Keedy, Wanda Hoover, Velma Watkins, Fern Early, Esther Kimmel, Betty Lou Cameron, Modena Kauffman, Loyal Miles, John Schul, Everett Brown, and Newell Wine.

Elvis Berger, Luray, a former student, has been visiting friends in the college the past few days.

Eldon Wingerd and Archie Lindholm were in Emporia during the past week end.

Junior Rolander, a pupil of Miss Fern Lingenfeiter, will play in the Music Talent Contest at the Twentieth Century House in Wichita, on Saturday, March 31.

## Our President Speaking - - -

How can one keep up interest in studies to the end of the school year? The winter has been long, work grows monotonous and familiar tasks and surroundings grow wearisome.

It may help if we explore the possibilities of silence close to nature occasionally. An occasional walk alone out in the great outdoors, letting voices speak to us out of the silences of nature. It will help us to get a perspective on life and feel

## JITTERINGS OF THOUGHT

It's a measly outfit that inhabits this school of greater knowledge. . . At other colleges and universities . . . where this malady has made some headway . . . It has been necessary to enforce quarantines. . . Only recently I heard of one sorority that was quarantined to the extent that they couldn't date any boy who had never had the measles. . . Maybe such a quarantine as that would relieve our situation especially when one considers such cases as the Keedy-Brown, for instance. . .

Somebody's life is probably in jeopardy for telling this. . . But it was told to me . . . so here goes. . . A certain young man on our campus who is especially interested in a down-town girl was coming home one night recently from one of his frequent dates. . . The hour was late and the night was dark. . . Just on the west side of the draw our friend saw a big man with a large black hat on. . . Quite a villainous sounding creature, but. . . Well, this man was standing close to a house and just as our young collegian went by him the big brute started out right behind him. . . Gee, but that draw was dark. . . and the pursuer seemed so close. . . that our young man being thoroughly frightened started to run and he ran all the way home to god

## Exchange Notes

St. Norbert College students recently tried to run for city offices in West de Pere, Wisconsin, as Independent Democrats. The campaign started as a bulletin board joke, but grew into a serious attempt to file nomination papers for a complete ticket of fourteen candidates.

The Baker University team probably was the "youngest" team at the Kansas City tournament this year. Three of the members of the team are only seventeen years old.

Dr. F. C. Allen, coach of basketball at the University of Kansas, advocates raising the height of the goals on basketball courts to twelve feet for college play, eleven feet for high school, and leaving them where they are—at ten feet—for junior high school players.

McGill University (Canada) students have turned out in such numbers for ping-pong matches that the school has built a special bleacher section to accommodate all spectators.

When clean-up day was recently observed at Bethel College, all the students received a free meal ticket to a cafeteria lunch at noon, and at 3:30 were served doughnuts and apples. At that rate they will want clean-up day often.

The New College Life, C. of E. newspaper has a gossip column called the Koltzer Kibitzer. The one or more students who guess who the Kibitzer is, will have their picture in the last issue of the paper this year.

Dr. O. P. Dellinger of K. S. T. C., Pittsburg, says that mid-western colleges are more democratic than those of the east. Most eastern colleges are not co-educational and dates are allowed only over the week end.

## Replogie Speaks

Dean F. A. Replogie spoke to the chapel Monday on "Why Religion?" Dean Replogie stated that since this is Passion Week we should all give a greater amount of attention to religion.

our relation to the universe in which we live. Then, too, I have found it particularly helpful to get a great book, an inspirational book that lifts us out of ourselves and spurs us on to new endeavor. A friend gave me such a book the other day, entitled "He Whom a Dream Hath Possessed." It was full of rich, suggestive nuggets of inspirational truth. Don't close the year on a low level. Keep a clear vision of your ideal and moral enthusiasm to attain it. —V. F. SCHWALM.

old Fahnstock. . . He's out for track but not for the dash events. . . as this story would no doubt indicate his qualifying for such events. . . The following night the young woman rented a car to go down to his girl's. Oh, maybe the above related story doesn't jibe with the James-Lange Theory of Emotion. . . but who cares about that. . . I for one was always quite dubious about the principles involved in the theory. . . All of this reminds me of another story. . . A young man took his girl for a ride and he was wearing new shoes. . . His feet got to hurting so badly that he kicked off his new footwear. . . Might I add that he's indeed fortunate to have the new shoes and the car as well. . . 'cause walking in new shoes when one's feet hurt. . . Well, it just isn't so comfortable. . . Why do some people insist on calling Wingerd "Special Delivery" . . . All I've been able to find out is that he received a S. D. Monday morning. . . We wonder. . . Vacation begins Thursday evening much to our regret and extreme sorrow. . . And several of the Profs. insist on giving mid-semester exams just before the holiday. . . Maybe we will enjoy these several days better sans the thought of exams. . . Well, mushily and measly yours.



**L. R. C. CONFERENCE  
AT GRINELL, APRIL 6-7**

**McPherson College Will Send Delegation; Noted Speakers Will Be Present**

Dr. Otto Nathan, a member of the faculty of Princeton University, will be the principal speaker at the International Relations Club Conference to be held at Grinnell College, Grinnell, Iowa, April 6 and 7. He will deal with "World Economic Recovery."

Announcement of the program was made yesterday by the Carnegie Endowment for International Peace, which has been responsible for the organization of the International Relations Clubs. The program follows:

Friday, April 6: 9:00 A. M. Registration of International Relations Clubs delegates; 11:00 A. M. College Chapel Service; Welcome by President Nollen of Grinnell College; 11:20 Welcome to Regional Conference delegates by President of Grinnell International Relations Club; response by visiting delegate of an International Relations Club; talk on the work of the Carnegie Endowment by Miss Amy Hemmway Jones, Division Assistant in charge of the International Relations Clubs; 12:00 M. Luncheon; 1:30 to 3:30 P. M. Round Tables: (1) World Economic Recovery; (2) The United States and Latin America; (3) The Crisis in International Organization; 3:30 Tea; 4:15 to 6:30 P. M. International Relations Clubs meeting, Miss Jones presiding; 6:00 P. M. Dinner; 7:30 Address: Alden G. Alley; 8:30 Address: Dr. Otto Nathan.

Saturday, April 7: 9:30 Round Tables: (1) World Economic Recovery; (2) The United States and Latin America; (3) The Crisis in International Organization; (4) Nazi Germany; 11:30 Address: Sherwood Eddy; 12:00 "The World's Danger Zones"; 12:00 Luncheon; 1:00 P. M. International Relations Clubs Meeting. Election of Officers. Selection of 1935 meeting place; 2:00 Address: Alden G. Alley, special lecturer for the National Council for Prevention of War, on "What is Happening in Europe and What it Means to America." 3:15 Address: Clark M. Eichelberger on "The Future of World Co-operation."

Delegates from International Relations Clubs in the following Kansas colleges will attend the meeting: College of Emporia, Emporia; The Kansas State Teachers College, Emporia; University of Kansas, Lawrence; McPherson College, McPherson; Bethel College, Newton; Ottawa University, Ottawa; Washburn College, Topeka; Friends University of Wichita.

Born 1893, Dr. Nathan attended the Universities of Wuerzburg, Freiburg, and Munich. For three and a half years he was connected with various banks in London and Brussels. In 1920 he became a member of the official Reich Statistical Bureau in Berlin, and in 1923 was appointed Regierungsrat. Being director of the division for research on international economic problems and also a member of the official Institut für Konjunkturforschung, has an exceptional knowledge of world trade and commercial policy. During his years of service with the Statistical Bureau, Dr. Nathan was twice loaned by that organization to the Ministry of Finance for special work. In March 1930 he was transferred to the Ministry of Economics of the German Reich as economic adviser and was promoted to the rank of Oberregierungsrat. He was editor of "Die Wirtschaft des Auslandes 1900-1927" and "Die Wirtschaft des Auslandes 1928" and author of numerous articles and reviews in economic periodicals.

Coming to this country on leave of absence from his government in 1930 Dr. Nathan was the guest of the Institute of Economics in Washington and later lectured at New York University. While here he was appointed as economic adviser to the President's Emergency Committee for Employment.

On March 6, 1933, Dr. Nathan voluntarily left the German government service in consequence of political developments in that country. He is now a visiting lecturer and member of the faculty of Princeton University.

The Phi Delta Theta chapter at Northwestern University recently celebrated the 75th anniversary of its founding. It is the oldest college fraternity in the state of Illinois.



DR. OTTO NATHAN

**THE Spectator**

In the language of the Jitterer, again I speculate—

Folks, you can't imagine how trying it is to run a column like this and maintain any stability of mind or safety of body. Why, only last week my life was threatened, to say nothing of suits I received for breach of promise, libel, exaggeration, misrepresentation, and what have you. It seems as tho a person can't run a decent scandal sheet any more. How was I to know that Romeo would take offense at a little dig about balconies and moonlight nights?

So, despite the fact that I still have the death threat hanging over my head, I feel it my duty to bring you the news, all the news, and anything that even looks like news, before it happens if possible. Thus, with my life hanging in the balance, I am constrained to tell you that according to latest observation Romeo and Juliet still seem to be doing quite nicely. (However, I've been told that Lackie has been seen getting chummy with a certain little library assistant at times. This is, of course, only hearsay.)

And now to get down to the business of campus dirt—It seems as though measles are the topic of the week, what with every other person having them. Not a bad idea, at that, waiting till the time of nine week's tests to get them.

Last Sunday night, one young measles-stricken romeo who was supposed to be reclining in Fahnstock journeyed under cover of the night and unbeknownst to Mother Emmert to visit his fair lady, likewise afflicted, in good old Arnold. Well, it's been said that misery loves company.

About the only way you can tell that Tuffy has the measles is that he has a permanent blush smeared over his physiognomy.

Since the last edition of Ye Goode Old Spectator, several romances have blossomed forth with promising vigor. It's a trifle early in the season to mention names publicly, but a self addressed and stamped envelope, sent in care of this station, will bring you all the particulars. Or, if you're industrious enough you can drop around to any Sunday night social and see for yourself.

Dame rumor hath it that Pearson always comes in late to meals in order to sit at the old maid's table. Very strange, very strange.

The joke of the week is on Leonard Esberg, our beloved chem assistant. While running an experiment on some innocent mice a few days ago, he unconsciously inhaled a large quantity of nitrous oxide commonly known as "Laughing gas." After finishing his work at the lab, he went home and sat down to do some rather dry reading, when suddenly he was seized with a laughing spell which lasted a couple of hours. Here, folks, is a sure fire remedy for homesickness or the blues.

It's sure funny how Goughnour has to rob the cradle to get a date.

If anyone feels an urge to say amen in chapel, let him come to the front of the room and join our beloved dean in his devotions.

A certain group of college fellows have suddenly become interested in bowling as a pleasant diversion from studies. McCoy says that he will take on anybody, and Hebert is quite willing to play, altho he isn't quite as good at bowling as he is at pool.

One young swain on our campus thinks so much of his lady friend that he walks four miles every Sunday, regardless of the weather, in order to enjoy her company. Such devotion is really quite touching. Is there anybody wealthy enough and impressed enough to buy a medal for the above mentioned person?

It was discovered during the sale of tickets for the Booster Banquet that in giving till it hurts, some people are extremely sensitive to pain.

Robert Brooks would like to know if anyone has a good second hand rocking chair which he will sell cheap. Bob, you should be more careful how you sit down.

The moral of something or other is that people who live in grass houses shouldn't throw matches.

Extra! Extra! College Prexy Thumbs Way Home From Newton; Yowah—believe it or not—Dr. Schwalm found himself stranded in Newton the other day and decided that he didn't want to wait there. So he started thumbing his way home, and as luck would have it he was picked up just outside the city. Well, there's a time for everything.

And so—we come to the end of another imperfect column, and pray to the fates that we may be privileged to live another week without feeling the blade of the assassin or without being taken for a ride. In the words of Ben Bernie—Au Revoir, toodle doo, a bit of a trest tweet, and unpleasant dreams, or words to that effect.

**They'll Sing Her Praise**

Ada Brunk, a popular student of winning personality, has been prominent in many activities during her five years of college. With her major as home economics she was assistant to Miss McIlrath in '33. She was also secretary to Professor Ninninger during her freshmen year and library assistant in her sophomore year.

Dramatics is a field in which Ada has been active. She has been a member of the Thespian Club four years and was this organization's president in '32. She also directed last year's production of the club, "The Importance of Being Earnest," and is directing the play, "The Enchanted April," this year.

Elizabeth Bowman, is a small, brown eyed student, who has won many friends while in College with her winning smile and pleasing personality. She has been interested especially in women's athletics and was secretary of the W. A. A. last year and president of this organization this past year. "Beth" was the student council representative from her class while a Junior. Mathematics is Elizabeth's major.

Robert Bowman, a product of the

plains of western Kansas is among those to be graduated this spring. Bob has attended McPherson College during all four years of his College life. He is a good student and very popular on the campus with those of either sex.

Last year Bob was a representative on the student Council from the Junior class and this year he again holds that position for the M Club. He has been a football man all through College. His major is in Physics.

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# SPORTS

## ALL OPPONENT TEAMS CHOSEN BY SPECTATOR

Barb, Barker, Thatch, Schrey  
and Mortimer on First  
Squad of Conference

### ALL OPPONENT CONFERENCE TEAM First Team

Forwards: Barker, Ottawa;  
Barb, College of Emporia.  
Center: Thatch, College of Em-  
poria.

Guards: Schrey, Baker and  
Mortimer, Kansas Wesleyan.  
Second Team

Forwards: Dillon, Ottawa; Sur-  
an, Kansas Wesleyan.  
Center: Heine, Baker.

Guards: Anderson, Bethany,  
Captain: Lee, College of Emporia.

With the close of the basketball season, the SPECTATOR announces an all opponent team taken from the members of the Kansas Conference. Thatch and Barker get their positions without any argument because they were outstanding against every team they played. One of these two men should have the captaincy, and Thatch gets it because he is a senior. Barb gets a forward post along with Barker because of his scoring, general floor play and speed which caused many a guard considerable worry.

Schrey of Baker led his team in almost every game and was the spearhead of their attack. He gets one guard position, although he did not compete in every game. The other guard position brought out a close race between Mortimer of Wesleyan and Anderson of Bethany. After some deliberation and recounting of votes, Mortimer was given the first team position and Anderson was made captain of the second team. Both of these men are good scorers and were leaders on their respective teams.

The second all opponent team is composed of good talent but their play was hardly as consistent as the ones that rated on the first. In all cases the selections were made on the entire season's play and newspaper reports had considerable to do with the ratings of every player.

### ALL OPPONENT NON-CONFERENCE TEAM First Team

Forwards: Eastman, Pittsburg,  
and Kennison, Bethel, captain.

Center: Baker, Pittsburg.  
Guards: Dickey, Coffeyville and  
Edwards, Pittsburg.

Second Team  
Forwards: McClure, Pittsburg,  
and Cates, Friends.

Center: Brown, Warrensburg.  
Guards: Hitt, Coffeyville and  
Krehbiel, Bethel.

These two teams were picked to a great extent on their season's record and also on their individual showing against the Bulldogs. Kennison was Bethel's star during the entire season and led the scoring consistently. Eastman did not show exceptional power against McPherson but played a good game the entire season.

Baker of Pittsburg was the outstanding player for the Gorillas the night they played McPherson. Dickey of Coffeyville was the leading man for his team during the season and played a good game against the Bulldogs. Edwards, another Pittsburg man has been an outstanding man in the Central Conference the last few years, and easily deserves the other guard position.

## THIRTY-TWO ENTERED IN TENNIS TOURNAMENT

Tice and Binford Only Letter-  
men in School This  
Year

The all school tennis tournament has started with 32 men of the College competing. All the men entered have had some tennis experience but only a few have had a great deal of previous experience. Raymond Tice and Harold Binford, the only College lettermen in school were placed in opposite brackets. It looks as though a few new men will make a good showing on the Bulldog tennis team this spring.

About half of the first round has been completed and the remaining matches of the first round will be

## SPORT LIGHTS

By Paul A. Lackle

Coach Melvin J. Binford is quickly shaping his track men into form for the several inter-class and inter-school meets on the spring program.

It would seem from all early indications that the Bulldog track team would be somewhat weakened by the loss of varsity men and lack of available men for a number of the main events.

However, it is hoped that some new and undiscovered material may be found in the school which will greatly strengthen the team.

As the days grow warmer, the tennis courts are fast becoming the most popular recreational center of the school!

Shortly after the lunch hour each day the courts are filled to overflowing with those who would seek the favor of Lady Luck by way of the "racquet game!"

As in track, a goodly percentage of the varsity tennis team was lost through graduation. However, a number of strong men have enrolled in school this year who should add strength to Coach Binford's court team.

Lilburn Gottman and Delbert Kelley, who made up the first string varsity tennis team, both were graduated in the spring term.

Charles Austin, who was paired with Raymond Tice as a second string man, also finished his schooling at M. C. last spring.

This leaves Raymond Tice alone of the regular varsity from whom Coach Binford will make his selections. Tice, however, is a strong tennis man!

With proper training and teamwork, a strong team should again be evident at M. C.

played before vacation starts. The losers in the first round games will compete in a consolation tournament. The outcome of the main division of the tournament will have considerable to do with Coach Melvin J. Binford's selection for the varsity tennis team.

The following men are entered in the all-school tennis tournament: Paul Booz, David Duncanson, Lester Fole, Robert Booz, Paul Prather, Robert Brooks, Robert Bowman, Paul Lackle, Emerson Chisholm, Chester Johnston, Brice Peck, Russel Carpenter, Archie Lindholm, Byron Eshelman, Harold Binford, Robert Ferris, Everett Fasnacht, Raymond Tice, Walter Weddle, Max Oliver, Donald Richards, Wilbur Yoder, Charles Strong, Harold Johnston, Leonard Wiggins, Ralph Sweetland, Cleo Minear, Guy Hayes, Sam Stoner, James Reed, Orval Eddy, and Ernest Sweetland.

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## STEGEMAN AND HURSH ARE CANDIDATES TO HEAD W. A.

The W. A. A. met Monday evening and elected Elizabeth Bowman as baseball manager. Lois Edwards was appointed as chairman of the committee to plan the play day for senior girls, which is to be held this year in connection with the annual spring festival for high school seniors.

The slate of officers for next year has been posted on the bulletin board. The candidates for president are Martha Hursh and Esther Stegeman; for vice president, Lois Fry and Arlene Wampler; for secretary, Elrae Carlson and Ruth Tice; and for treasurer, Leone Shirk and Viola Rothrock. The election will be held at the next meeting.

## COMPLETION OF CHURCH ASSURED IN 1925-26

Two pep clubs were organized the first week in October, 1925. John Whiteneck was president of the K. S.'s, the men's club, and Winifred O'Connor was head of the Maccoeds, the women's organization.—Over \$40,000 in pledges was received for the completion of the College church by October 11, 1925.—Delegates from Southwestern, Sterling, Kansas Wesleyan, Bethel, Bethany, and Friends, attended the joint Y. M. and Y. W. conference at M. C., on October 23, 24, and 25.—

Miss Katherine Penner, head of voice department of M. C., was contralto soloist in Bach's oratorio, "According to St. Matthew," which was presented by the Bethany Oratorio Society at Lindsborg, November 22, 1925.—Dr. D. W. Kurtz presented the College chapel with 200 new hymnals in November.—

The women of McPherson College were entertained Friday evening, December 11, 1925, at a party given by the Foods Class.—Dr. J. W. Hershey presented a paper on "The Effects of Oxygen on Animal Life" at a meeting of the American Association for the Advancement of Science, held at Kansas City, December 28, 1925, to January 2, 1926.—

Anna Lengle, Floy Brown, Eunice Wray, and Mary Waas made up the first Women's Debate team of M. C. for which tryouts were held January 13, 1926.—

The McPherson College orchestra broadcast a concert from KFH, Wichita, March 20, 1926.—The Varsity Quartet broadcast a program from WHB, Kansas City, March 23.—

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## KAN. CONFERENCE MEET WILL BE HELD MAY 12

### C. of E. Is New Competitor in Track for This Year

Although no one school appears to be especially strong in every event this year it seems that the Kansas Conference track and field meet will be faster than it has been the past few years.

This year the Conference track and field meet will be held at Ottawa on May 12. College of Emporia, new member of the Conference, plus the five old members will compete for the championship. Baker, champion of the Conference for the past four or five years will probably not be as potent as in former years. The Wildcats have only three lettermen from last year's team, but you can figure on Baker having a good team by the time the state meet comes along.

Right now, it looks as though College of Emporia and Ottawa will be the two strongest teams in the conference. The Emporians have a wealth of material and included in this bunch they have a few who were stars in the Central Conference last year. Ottawa, besides having many lettermen, has some new men with exceptionally good high school records. Perhaps Ottawa does not have the outstanding individuals that Emporia has, but they will have a well balanced team.

Little is known as to the relative strength of the track teams of Bethany and Kansas Wesleyan. The Coyotes lost some good men last year but will probably be strong again in

Lexington (CNS)—All students wishing to participate in any extra-curricular activity at Washington and Lee must obtain permits from the dean's office, according to a ruling announced this week.

"My ideal man must be sincere and possess common sense and understanding," a Little Rock Junior College co-ed affirmed when approached by an inquiring reporter.

The running events, Bethany has some new men that they report as being good track material plus a star distance runner from last year that is probably back in school again.

With all this competition the Bulldogs will be handicapped since several stars graduated last year. If some of the men develop they will give a good account of themselves in the coming meets. The Binford coached men are showing good possibilities.

Some records are bound to fall at Ottawa if the new conference men come up to the form they showed last year.

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